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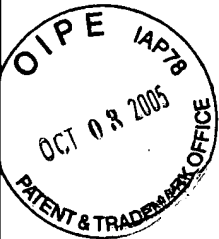
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Applicant(s): Toshihisa Matsuo					
Invention: OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS					
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

In response to the currently outstanding Official Action in the above-identified case, which Official Action the Examiner has designated as being Final, Applicant respectfully requests that the subject application be amended as follows so as to place it in condition for allowance, or at least better form for Appeal, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.116.